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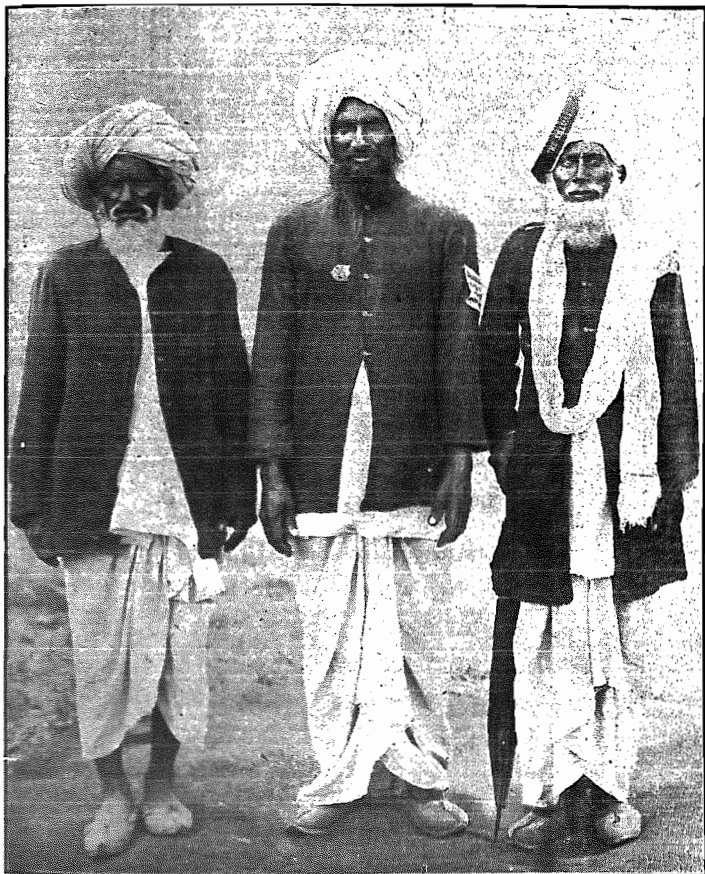
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SELF-DENIAL SAVED THEM FROM IDOL WORSHIP

Representatives of India's Local Officers, over 4,500 of whom equal The Army's Best in carrying out the duties of their Offices and Proclaiming Salvation to their Compatriots—Out of every \$100 of last year's Self-Denial Fund over \$40 went to Maintain and Extend The Army's Missionary Work

SPIRITUAL FRUITFULNESS

Was the Subject Dealt with at the United Holiness Meeting.

A fine crowd of people received a real spiritual blessing from God at the United Holiness Meeting in Parliament Street (Toronto) Citadel on Friday, April 8th.

The meeting was led by Brigadier Bell, his usual inspiring and red-hot religion style. A selected Bible portion was read by Caded Lowe. Heartfelt prayer was offered on behalf of our nation.

The time usually allotted to testimonies bearing on Holiness was only too willingly conceded to Corporal (Captain) Shaw; this being his last Friday night in Toronto before returning overseas. His words were certainly inspired and led us as a whole-hearted and filled with the Holy Ghost. Our prayers go with him.

A Holiness song was feelingly sung by eight Cadets. The message from God's Word was then clearly given by Major John Briery. "The Secret of Fruitfulness" was very plainly shown as the Major dealt with the different aspects of fruitfulness, bearing pruning as it were to the vine, sunshine, and darkness, also needed to perfect. So spiritually, while sheding in, under different circumstances add in our fruition.

A short, but earnest, prayer meeting resulted in one soul claiming the blessing of a clean heart—C. Orway.

BRIGADIER AND MRS. McLEAN

Lead Sunday's Meetings at Vancouver, V.C., Seven Young People Seek Salvation.

On Sunday, March 24th, Brigadier and Mrs. McLean led the meetings at Vancouver V.C., assisted by Staff-Captain Smith and the No. 1 Young People's Band at the night meeting.

In the Holiness meeting the Brigadier spoke about the weak things of the world confounding the mighty.

In the afternoon the Brigadier had a very interesting meeting with the children and we had the joy of seeing six children giving their hearts to Jesus. For the benefit of those who had got saved the Staff-Captain spoke on "How to Keep Salvation," which was very profitable to Company Guards and Young People alike.

We entered into our spirit meeting with the real Army spirit prevailing and a packed Hall. The band played several selections, and deserve great credit, for the music was grand. The Staff-Captain spoke a few words, Mrs. McLean read from the Scriptures, and the Brigadier spoke on "The Never-Failing Jesus." One boy came out for Salvation. The newly-promoted Captain Shaw was also welcomed into the Corps.

WON SPECIAL PRIZE

For Fine Turn-out on Good Friday

We are having some real good times and receiving much blessing in the Flag Flying, Easter Sunday, and record-breaker. Fifty comrades attended Kneel Drill and a blessed time was experienced.

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In the afternoon open-air forty-five were present, and at night two open-air were conducted, causing a great stir. The Citadel was packed to the doors. Deputy Bandmaster Harry Bates (St. John I.) was with us for the week-end, and helped the Band considerably.

THREE CORPS UNITED

For Good Friday Meetings at London

On Good Friday morning the Officers from No. II and comrades from No. III, united with London I for a morning Open-Air, followed by an indoor service conducted by Ensign Snowden, Captain Stevens and Lieutenant Clark from London II, also Ensign Richards from Divisional Headquarters, assisted.

On Sunday morning, following a record Kneel-drill, the Band entered the neighbourhood by their Easter music. Adjutant Keron (one of the Insult Party) who was in London night, two men gave an interesting testimony in the afternoon service.

On Easter Monday night the Band and Songsters gave a splendid Programme of Music and Song, and on Tuesday night we had a Victory Song from No. III, and Brother Wingfield from Edmonton I.

FIFTY-AT KNEEL DRILL

Four Seekers in Night Meeting at Moncton, N.B.

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CAMROSE

Captains Fred and George Mundy from Edmonton (II) led the week-end meetings at Camrose.

The Sunday night meeting was well attended, and gave a good impression as the Captains struck home conviction to many hearts. Three souls sought and found salvation.

For the week-end preceding we had with us Sergeant-Major Christopher, Young People's Sergeant, and a band from No. III, and Brother Wingfield from Edmonton I.

FEATHERS AND RINGS

Were Discarded at the Penitent Form by an Earnest Seeker at Melville.

We thank God for the way our Corps at Melville is advancing under the leadership of Captain H. Smith and Lieutenant H. K. Gray. Many souls are weeping their way to the Cross.

We are all pleased to have Brother Pearson (Estevan) with us again.

Our meetings last week-end, beginning on Friday, were very good and much enjoyed by all who attended. On Good Friday morning we had grand march, headed by the Young People's Band, and we held the service in the Union Church. The Captain spoke on "The Crucifixion."

At night, after a large open-air meeting, in which twenty-five comrades took part, we had a blessed time in our own Hall. A large crowd assembled.

On Saturday night we had two large open-air, followed by a red-hot inside meeting. The Captain gave a forceful talk on "Amusements."

On Sunday morning we had a splendid Company Meeting of forty-three Young People. Lieutenant Gray spoke in the afternoon and six souls sought Christ. Most of them were converts.

THE FIELD SECRETARY

Presides at an Interesting Mail Service.

A Musical Service was given at Ligar Street (Toronto) by Captain and Mrs. Laurie (Estevan) on Thursday, April 11th, at which Brigadier MacLean presided.

The audience, which filled the Citadel, was delighted with the various items rendered. There was a fine band, and the music was well utilized to draw music from within of a string and a button. "His Sweet Home" was played by the band, and the Captain also sang.

The vocal solos and duets were also much appreciated.

FINE ATTENDANCES

At Week-end Meetings in Nelson, Led by Brigadier McLean.

Brigadier McLean led the week-end meetings at Nelson, B.C. The meetings were full of blessing and the crowds were the best we have had for some time. In the morning all service five men held up their hands for prayer.

On Saturday evening the Life-Saving Scouts and Life-Saving Guards, with the help of the Seniors, out on a good programme, at which the Brigadier presided.

We have welcomed Brother and Sister Ramsay and family, from Seattle, where Brother Ramsay has been Young People's Sergeant. Major. Our comrade has taken over the Bible Class and is doing well.

HIS LAST CHANCE

Reckless was Deeply Impressed as Captain Was Speaking.

On Saturday and Sunday, April 6th-7th, the meetings at Orillia were led by Captain Simco. The attendance were good, and on Sunday night two men gave an interesting testimony in the afternoon service.

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BRIGADIER & MRS. MORRISON

Lead Week-end Meetings at Moncton, I. Twenty-one Long-Serve Badges Presented to the Corps.

Visits from Brigadier Morrison and Mrs. Morrison were most enjoyed, and accompanied at this occasion by Mrs. Morrison. The following remarks were made on this occasion by Mrs. Morrison: "I am pleased to see the week-end meetings at Moncton were doubly appreciated. The enthusiasm was intense. I am glad we have heard such a number of bright, heartful testimonies as were given in the Saturday night meeting. Both the Brigadier and Mrs. Morrison gave stirring addresses."

All day Sunday the meetings were good. The Holiness meeting was a time of blessing. In the afternoon the Brigadier awarded Long-Serve Badges to twenty-one comrades, with service records of from five to twenty-five years.

The evening service was presided by a grand open-air meeting. There was a particularly good crowd on the march. The inside meeting was well attended. Mrs. Morrison gave a very inspiring talk on the "Love of God." The Brigadier followed with an old-time fiery Gospel address, which impressed and touched the hearts of those present. A number of souls decided for Christ—H. W. Morris.

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ADVANCING AT GODERICH

Four Seekers—Impressive Band Service.

After the ceremony short speeches were delivered by the Brigadier, Captain and Mrs. Renouf, Lieutenant Parks and Pettidien, Ensign Grace, Church, and others. The Captain (Udén) (Port Hope) sang with great acceptance.

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FAREWELL AT KENTVILLE

We had a large crowd at Lieutenant Thornhill's farewell at Kentville. One of our most valued members, Mr. Major Moore, was leaving for the front. His stay has been one of the most successful, and has encouraged us to the forward—G. P. H.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S ADVANCES

In the Quarter and East Ontario Division as Result of Campaign—Life-Saving Guards and Scouts Worked Well on Tag Day in Montreal

During the Winter Campaign in the Quebec and East Ontario Division as Result of Campaign—Life-Saving Guards and Scouts Worked Well on Tag Day in Montreal

332 Young People converted.

17 Senior Soldiers made.

128 New children secured.

19 New Companies formed.

12 New Directors Class formed.

16 Corps Cadets secured.

3 Corps Cadet Guards secured.

10 Scouts and Guards secured.

13 Juniors transferred to Senior Corps.

The Campaign was entered into in almost every Corps very heartily by the Officers, and we thank God for the results, and trust with His blessing that it will only be a forerunner of greater things to come.

The Life-Saving Guards and Scouts of Montreal turned out and worked magnificently in connection with the recent Tag Day; and their bright smiling faces and uniforms were a great attraction on the street.

The Life-Saving Guards are putting on Life-Understandings at Anti-Demonstrations at different Corps in the city and as this is a new venture, nothing of this kind being attempted in the past, it is attracting a great deal of interest, and the Corps are demonstrating the fact that they are learning rapidly under the tuition of their respective Leaders.

OFFICERS' WEDDING

Captain George Renouf and Lieutenant Amelia Kent Married at Trenton by Brigadier Morrison.

On Thursday, March 14th, there was a Halldahl Wedding at Trenton (Ontario). Captain George Renouf and Lieutenant Amelia Kent being married by Brigadier Morrison. The bride was supported by Lieutenant Pettidien (Kempenfelt) and the bridegroom by Lieutenant Parks (Trenton). There was a large attendance.

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RIVERDALE (TORONTO)

We have welcomed our new Officers, Captain and Mrs. Parsons, Riverdale. On Thursday night about 125 Soldiers and friends turned out to their welcome meeting when we had a real, good time. After the meeting we had a welcome supper.

The week-end meetings outside and at our place were attended, and God's power was felt in our midst. Several souls came in at the night meeting for Salvation. We feel Riverdale has already advanced under their leadership, and we are confident of a big Self-Dedicated victory—R.

WEST COAST NATIVES

Appreciate the Efforts of The Salvation Army to Bless and Help Them—Brigadier McLean Gives an Account of a Recent Visit He Paid to Several Corps

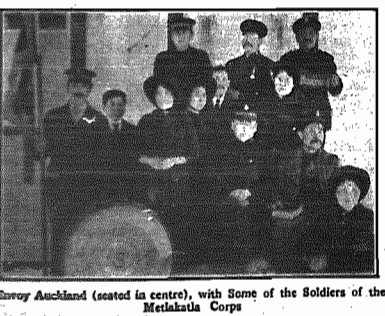
LEAVING Vancouver one Saturday day by the steamer "Princess Sophia," I landed safely at Wrangell, Alaska, three days later. I was met by Brigadier McLean, Adjutant Habrick and his boys were on the wharf to greet me and we had very fine time during my visit. I had two most enjoyable meetings. The Adjutant has taken well hold of his work throughout the District and reports having some grand



Envoy and Mrs. Charles Newton, of Kake, Alaska, with Adjutant Hector Habrick

of enthusiasm and much good was accomplished. We met Metlakatla on Thursday. Mr. Lear placed his bus host at our disposal and accompanied us. Envoy Auckland has been in charge of the work here for some time and has been doing well. He extended to myself and the Officers a very cordial reception and we had two good meetings with three souls seeking Christ. I commissioned the Local Officers for 1918 and enrolled recruits. Metlakatla has twenty-eight Soldiers in good standing now.

"On account of a raging storm we could not return to Prince Rupert that night, but we were entertained very nicely by the Native comrades. On Saturday morning I boarded the Grand Trunk train and went down to Hazelton, where we had a rousing Salvation Meeting. Hazelton is an outpost from Glen Vowell, where Adjutant and Mrs. Jackson are in charge. The Adjutant was on hand at Hazelton to welcome us. We had a real good crowd and a fine time all round. After the meeting we drove seven miles to Hazelton. The village of Glen Vowell, where I was



Envoy Auckland (seated in centre), with Some of the Soldiers of the Metlakatla Corps

WEST COAST NATIVES

to conduct our first Winter Congress, the Sunday School, and to report a great time of rejoicing and good results. Crowds came down from Klipkax and Hazelton, so that we had big attendance all day and the meetings were very lively and all seemed to receive a blessing and some spiritual help. I commissioned the Local Officers for 1918, and we had the pleasure of seeing eleven souls for the Sunday. Sergeant-Major Brown was promoted to the rank of Envoy, and Sergeant Brown will be the Corps Sergeant-Major for the future. The Adjutant and his boys were doing well in the work at this village. I feel sure this Winter Congress has proved a great success. I am confident that the work will go on much better in the future at this place. Corps Cadet Elsie Jackson is also doing well with the School and making considerable progress. The School has been enlarged and the attendance increased.

A Visit to Hazelton

"On the Monday night we returned to Hazelton where we had a large gathering and a good Salvation Meeting. Some of the converts from Glen Vowell were present, and we had a very good time. The great things that God had done for them at Glen Vowell on Sunday. This outpost has been opened up for the Salvation Army. I am commissioning the first batch of ten Local Officers to assist Envoy and Mrs. Jackson, who are in charge here under Adjutant Auckland. I certainly had a great meeting with good results—six souls crying to God for mercy. This is the first time people when they see their friends coming to Christ, and they sing and shout and sometimes even dance.

"During the week following I visited several other towns and villages, coming back with the work in the British Columbia Division, and found much encouragement. Last Saturday I returned to Anderson, where I had a very good meeting, where Captain and Mrs. Mitchell are in charge, and found they had made great preparations for the work. The village of Hazelton has also made considerable repairs on the Quarters, and they are now very comfortable indeed. The only disappointment about this village is that many of the Natives have been compelled to move away on account of their work in the small population. We had real good meetings on Sunday, with one soul coming forward on the Lord's side.

Twenty-nine Seekers

"I thoroughly enjoyed my visit to Alaska and Northern British Columbia. Twenty-nine souls were saved in all on this tour and I feel sure there is a great future ahead for the Salvation Army work in this part of the country. The Natives fully appreciate all we are doing for them. They give every attention to our Salvation addresses and are always eager to learn what they call the "White Songs." I was able to teach them several of our old favorites, which they sang very heartily."

VISITOR AT SARNIA

Another ten-dollar donation is to be made by the First Fund from the Colfax, Rebekah, No. 28, I.O.O.F., making a total now of \$896. We have had with us the last few days of the week the interest of the London Hospital, and the people of Sarnia are showing by their gifts what they think of The Army—A.

"BLOW, BLOW, THE

**Training College Division Launches
Its Self-Denial Effort in a
Rousing Meeting**

Rousing Meeting.
Israel launched its victorious attack against Jericho with a mighty shout, a blowing of trumpets, and mighty faith.

in precisely the same spirit the Training College Division launched its Self-Denial Effort at a round meeting in the Parliament Street Hall on Friday, April 12th.

Previous to the meeting the Brigadier and Mrs. Bell and the Training College Staff met the Local Officers of the Division over a cup of tea in the Young People's Hall, after which the Brigadier, in a short talk, outlined to them the necessity of whole-hearted participation in the coming effort. The Brigadier's talk was received with shouts of acclamation, which boded well for success.

From this meeting the Local Officers went straight upstairs to the Senior Hall for the public meeting, a special block of seats being reserved for them in the body of the Hall.

After the opening exercises and a time of special prayer on behalf of our Empire and the boys overseas, the Brigadier, in a pointed appeal, laid before all present the urgency of the Self-Denial Effort, and the necessity of each and every Soldier

doing his part. Our last year's chorus of victory, "Blow, blow the trumpets" was revived, and if the spirit shown in singing it is any indication we can rely on every comrade going in to make a desperate fight for a smashed target.

The theme of the Brigadier's address was, "The Price of Victory," the text being "He poured out his soul unto death." The gist of his address was that if we would have victory, both in our own souls and in the coming effort, then there must be a willingness for sacrifice on our part—self-sacrifice being the key to victory.

Major DesBrissay and Mrs. Adjutant Adams took part in the meeting, and the Chester Band and Songsters occupied the platform, and rendered suitable music. The whole spirit of the meeting was beautiful and we closed with two at the front.

EDMONTON L.

On Easter Monday an interesting programme was given at the Edmonton No. 1 Citadel by the Young

The Band was well represented, and played several selections; various interesting items were given by

the children. The special feature of the evening was an Easter service of song, entitled "The Birth, Life, Death, and Resurrection of Our Saviour," given by Mrs. Adjutant Johnston, Sergeant-Major McBain, and the Corps Cadets and Young People's Workers.

On Sunday, April 7th, Lieutenant Shannon, from Calgary, was present, and gave two very interesting addresses, which will long be re-

members.

MIMICO

On Sunday, April 14th, we had an exceptionally good time. A quartette from Headquarters worked very hard in the interest of souls and rendered numerous instrumental and vocal quartettes.

Major and Mrs. Moore were with us at night. Mrs. Major Moore read the lesson and spoke on "A

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WHAT'S DOING ROUND THE WORLD

OPPOSE MOB RULE

A place in Toronto recently, a man being taken from his house by a number of returned soldiers and very roughly treated, because they believed he was an alien enemy.

"That the York County Executive deeply regrets the deplorable incident of this week whereby a resident of this city was molested and maltreated by a mob. This execu-

ive goes on record as being op-
posed to mob rule, believing that the
law offers all redress for wrongs.
This executive also desires to dis-
countenance any connection with
such acts by members of the Great

CHEESE AS A SAFE FOOD
CHEESE is an animal food which is used in an uncooked condition, and might, therefore, be capable of

transmitting disease from cow to man, and from man to man. Fresh cheese may contain the bacilli of typhoid fever and tuberculosis, and may at times be infected with the organisms causing "meat poison."

Dr. Schroeder, chief of the bureau of animal industry of the United States, finds that when cheese is stored, the dangerous organisms are not found after a definite length of time for each organism.

From this it may be seen that the fresh cheese is the dangerous one.

Experiments to determine the length of time that the tubercle bacilli will live in cheese in a virulent condition were made

The tubercle bacilli lost their virulence in from 39 to 50 days. Dr. Schroeder advised the pasteurization of all milk for cream and fresh cheese.

SPELLING REFORM IN RUSSIA

THE Russian National Commissioner of Education, with a view to raising the general standard of education, has issued a decree that

From January 1 the new simplified spelling shall be taught in the schools. The reform consists in the elimination from the Russian alphabet of three letters—yatt, phita and phita—the simple form of E. The pronunciation of these letters is identical.

respectively, with A, F and the double form of E; and the correct use of the respective letters has always been a test of education. Yaitis, a survivor of one of the old Slavonic characters, has been a stumbling-block to many, not only to foreigners, but even to middle-class Russians.

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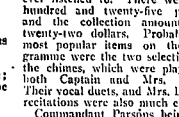
Brigadier Morris will accompany
Brigadier Adhy—Lindsay, Sa
April 27-28; Fenelon Falls
29.
Adjutant and Mrs. Kendall

Adjutant Trickey—Renfrew
25-May 6.

PRISON APPOINTMENTS
Saturday, April 27th
The Mercer — Mrs. Major
and Toronto League of Women
Sunday, April 28th.
Thornhill — Brigadier and
Miller.
Mimico—Adjutant Adams.

SENIORS AND JUNIORS
Enrolled at Lisgar St.—Three

On Thursday, April 11th, C. and Mrs. Laurie from Earl gave what was pronounced one of the best musical programs ever listened to. There were



on Sunday, April 14th, we had us Ensign Clayton in the morning and afternoon, and Envoy and Mont in the evening. In the afternoon the Ensign enrolled Junior Soldiers; three Seniors

diers; and Commissioned the

Five boys just transferred from the Senior and Junior Corps were commissioned Senior Bandmen, and should be a splendid addition to our band which has been considerably reduced owing to the war. We also have two Sisters in the Band, who are doing nobly with their instruments.

At the conclusion of the service, Mr. Moat's address on Sunday evening was:

Two black boys and one other
 other knelt at the Mercy Seat.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Mrs. Commissioner Richards gratefully acknowledges the receipt of the following donations for the boys overseas: St. Thomas League, 24 pairs socks and 3 pairs

The Editor would be glad to
letters or extracts from letters fr

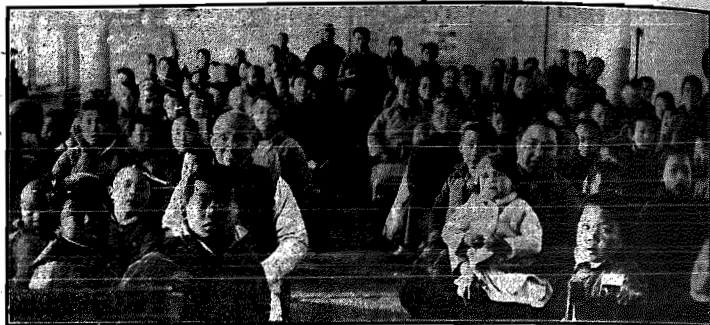
diers overseas, containing references to the Salvation Army Work, Huts, or relating incidents of Salvation Army service, giving personal testimony. Address: Editor, "War Cry," James and Streets, Toronto, Ontario.

LODGES FOR WOMEN

The Salvation Army maintains the following —

- "Scotia" Lodge, 163 Barrington Street, Halifax, N. S.
- "Cathcart" Lodge, 24 Cathcart Street, Montreal, Quebec.
- "Roeddale" Lodge, 131 Sheppard Street, Toronto, Ontario.
- "Balmoral" Lodge, 239 Balmoral Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba.
- "Welcome" Lodge, 2215 Lorne Avenue, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.
- "Mount Pleasant" Lodge, 75 Avenue Road, Vancouver, British Columbia.

Self-Denial Spreads Salvation Round the World



YOUNG PEOPLE'S COMPANY MEETING, PEKIN, CHINA

The methods of The Salvation Army appeal strongly to the Chinese, who enjoy our bright and varied Services. All about Peking children may already be heard singing snatches of Army choruses which they have picked up.

HOW WAS LAST YEAR'S SELF-DENIAL MONEY SPENT?

Out of every Hundred Dollars Collected

\$41 Went to the Missionary Work
\$17 To the Officers' Assistance Fund
\$15 To Divisions and Corps at Home
\$12 To the Support of the Officers' Training College

\$4 To Work Amongst Soldiers
\$4 To the Extension of the Young People's Work
\$2 Each to Special Help for the Newfoundland Province and the Officers' Pension Fund.

The Total Cost of Making the Appeal, including Printing, Stationery, Postage, and Expenses of Collecting Was Only \$3 Out of Every \$100 Received



ONE OF THE MOST PITIFUL PICTURES EVER PRINTED IN "THE WAR CRY"

In the Dutch East Indies, on the Islands of Java and Sumatra, Colonies for Lepers have been established by The Salvation Army and plans for a very considerable extension of this work have been approved. The Bandmen shown in this picture are Lepers. The dread disease has affected all of them in some way or the other; the Bandmaster, for instance, has lost both eyes through this destroying malady. How much of otherwise unknown joy, alike to players and the other members of the Colony, the existence of the Band means can readily be imagined.